

THE WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair to-day and probably to-morrow: rising temperature to-morrow. Highest temperature yesterday, 54; lowest, 44. Detailed weather, mail and marine reports on page 11,

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ACCOUNTS OF WM. V. CLEARY UNDER FIRE

State Department Finds Discrepancies in Financial the jewelry store of Charles Geist at Affairs of Haverstraw.

CRIMINAL ACTION IS

ALBANT, April 7 .- Eugene M. Travis, discrepancies in the financial oceedings being brought against William V. Cleary, fortown clerk and Democratic boss Haverstraw. Cleary was acquitted

Lee and four of his amine the financial accounts They discovered at the set that all of the records for many cited the information that they were

chives of the Town Hall.

In questioning Warren Basley, who was the Overseer of the Poor during 1919 to 1913, about the accounts. Seputy Comptroller Lee learned that Basley without asking any questions signed his name to blank checks and turned them over to Cleary. It was further ascered that the amount withdrawn from tained that the amount withdrawn from the bank on these checks was more than double the sum given in the report by the Overseer of the Poor to the Superin-tendent of the Poor. Basley admitted under oath that he had never been in he bank; was ignorant about what the ntained and that he relied on

Cleary Had Big Bank Deposits. At the National Bank of Haverstraw, where Cleary deposited his money, the examiners found that the Town Clerk,

whose salary obtained in fees was esti-mated at \$1,900 a year, had deposited in 1913 more than \$10,000. A surpris-ing feature of his accounts was that each time he overdrew his accounts the checks from Basiey, the overseer of the

poor, arrived.

Deputy Comptroller Lee conducted the private examination of the Witnesses. In the room in the Town Hall where Cleary killed young Newman after a confession made by Cleary's daughter. Josiah Felter, the Supervisor, and Basley, the Overseer of the Poor, signed waivers of immunity before they gave waivers of immunity before they gave

Felter, who has been the Supervisor about thirty years, was examined by Deputy Comptroller Lee. He as present in the room when Newman ot. Felter said that Cleary kept

done with the stubs from the check- tieth street, Brooklyn, yesterday after- tao He stated that his wife had found noon.

ks amounting to \$5,030.83 to Cleary, crash

Suspected All Was Not Right.

Supervisor was asked.

200 a year to support the poor.

eputy Lee questioned Feiter about different claimants for money from town. Feiter recalled that Joseph abel had furnished goods. The Super sor testified that he gave Cleary the

tted frankly he did not know anything

didn't know anything

hdrawn from his account in the bank relieve the poor. He did not know, of the contract.

further, could not explain where the

ks reported that \$1.504 had been it on the poor, while his report to superintendent gave the amount as 56.73. The sum withdrawn from the bank in this year was \$4,392.01.

Again in 1912 Basley's books showed an expenditure of \$1.689.74. against a of \$2,236.13 to the superintendent. this year actually was \$3,751.18. 1913 the relief book showed an ex-

penditure of \$2,416.26, while the sum of 295.57 was withdrawn from the bank. Basley further declared that Cleary k book and presented the for his signature and he

them without question.

by Woman's Cries EITEL TO RAID Gunman Baffled

Thief Fires Three Shots, but Is Frightened Away by Jeweller's Wife.

A man about 23, rather under 5 feet 6 inches and wearing a dark gray check Captain Waits Nearly to suit, a cap and no overcoat, entered the northwest corner of Eighty-seventh street and Amsterdam avenue at 5:45 last evening while Gelst and his wife were there. The man asked to see some watches and Geist put a tray REFUSES TO RISK HIS holding eleven watches, worth \$300, on LIKELY TO FOLLOW the counter. The visitor picked out one valued at \$12 and then began to haggle about the price.

The man suddenly ordered Geist to Comptroller, has unearthed move to the rear of the store and to hours of the limit set by the United The Government has not given any inhold up his hands, and as Geist did States Government Capt. Thierichsen of dication of its attitude on the suggesthe town of Haverstraw, not obey at once he produced a re- the German sea raider Prinz Eitel Fried- tion that a prohibitive tax be placed ounty, which may result in volver, waved it in the air and re- rich decided to-night to intern his ves- on spirits, but unofficially the statement peated his order. Gelst this time sel. obeyed and the man fired two shots, both of which went wild. Gelst dropped down behind his counter and, reaching underneath a showcase, grabbed the man's legs and the thief fired a third shot, alming under the counter.

sbot, alming under the counter.

Mrs. Geist started to scream and the man darted out of the store, leaving the watches behind. Geist followed, blowing a police whistle. The man first started north, but seeing a policeman turned and ran west on Eighty-seventh street. Harry Allen, a driver of a Wanamaker wagon, tried to stop him, but failed. The man reached Broadnts examiners to Haver-ne the financial accounts a crowd was giving chase. He turned into Eighty-eighth street and then into the basement of an apartment house at 217. The reserves of the 100th street police station surrounded the block and searched the houses, but failed to find the man. They think it may be some one who lives in the

SAYS FARMERS RULE HERE. Writes M. Le Roux, Paris Editor.

Special Cable Despatch to THE STN. PARIS, April 7 .- Hugues Le Roux, writing from New York to the Matta, says that public opinion in America does not receive any impulse worth considering from Wall Street financiers, powerful manufacturers, or clever business It is the American farmer, in his ation, who will be the ultimate ar-States shall engage in peace or war.

Hugues Le Roux, a well known author and explorer, and one of the most prominent editors of the Matin, is at

Buried in Pit of

Well Cavein Kills Brooklyn Man-Will Take Days to Recover Body.

1913 he filed with the Town Clerk the records. This included the sums the cavein of an old well which he was

ther testified that Cleary rendered is situated on his property close to his home, with Louis Sturz of Woodhaven.

It, and that they were paid. Old Long Island, about 3:30 o'clock, when IN CUST ins, and that they were paid. Old tims kept on coming in and they were amptly met by payment, Felter testing it was shown that Felter drew the accident happened. Sturz left the well for a minute to get a necessary tool. Esser was at the bottom about twenty feet down. There was a sudden crash.

Sturz, turning round, saw a gaping bidn't you think that it was queer these old claims continued to come to these old claims continued to come to the second that it was queer to be successful. Sturz, turning round, saw a gaping to the second that the second transfer is the second transfer to the second transfer is the second transf into which the sandy soil was settling from all sides. Esser had completely

disappeared. Truck Company 63 of the Fire De-The witness replied that he had doubts partment was first called by Patrolthe suspected that the money inided for the poor went into other unequal to the task, the Building "Why did you draw the checks to cleary instead of to the claimants?" he ment workers believe the work of disin-

was brought out that after Basley office it cost the town only about 10 a year to support the near With Man of 78.

WASHINGTON, April 7 .- Mrs. Ida M. McNab, 40 years old, of Escanaba, Mich.,

testified to-day in the District Supreme

Court in a breach of contract of mar
Court in a breach of contract of mar
This disclosure recalled a report pub-Warren Basley, the Overseer, and brought against John S. Kinney, 78 years that the Karlsruhe was on her

he would take care of the reports him. He declared that Cleary agreed make up the accounts because he was capable of doing it. Basiey further independent of the signed whatever Cleary him to sign and stood spottor for the contracting parties agreed to marry, and in consideration the definition of the contracting parties agreed to marry, and in consideration the definition of the contracting parties agreed to marry, and in consideration the definition of the contract sued on, as set out in the declaration, was executed on June 17, 1912, at Escanaba before a notary bublic. The contracting parties agreed to marry, and in consideration the declaration was to build a home for his true the contracting parties agreed to marry, and in consideration the declaration was executed on June 19, 1912, at Escanaba before a notary public. The contracting parties agreed to marry, and in consideration the declaration was executed on June 19, 1912, at Escanaba before a notary public. The contracting parties agreed to marry, and in consideration the declaration was executed on June 19, 1912, at Escanaba before a notary public. The contracting parties agreed to marry, and in consideration the declaration the declaration that the declaration was executed on June 19, 1912, at Escanaba before a notary public. The contracting parties agreed to marry, and in consideration the declaration that the declaration that the declaration was executed on June 19, 1912, at Escanaba before a notary public. The declaration the declaration that the declaration

bride at a cost of \$50,000, was to suppose. In 1910 the relief book showed of \$1,453 was furnished for the poor.

Are you aware that you reported to County Superintendent that instead contract, to accept in lieu of dower a \$1,453 the sum of \$2,349.97 was disstead of the lawful dower unfer laws of Michigan. Several days afte the signing of the contract, Mrs. Mc overseer was asked if he did not that in this year \$4,799.92 was

1911 it was shown that Basley's Alaska Takes Steps to Oust Demon Rum

House Passes Dry Bill by Big Vote-Referendum Is Attacked.

JUNEAU, Alaska, April 7 .- A bill submitting the question of Territorial prohibition to the voters at the general elec-Travis has not decided tion in 1916 passed the lower house of the Alaska Legislature to-day by a vote action ne will take regarding the lied condition of the accounts and ersons responsible for the state of Should prohibition be adopted it would likely that an indictment become effective January 1, 1918, under for.

SEAS NO MORE; SHE INTERNS

Time Limit for German Warship.

Nonrolk, Va., April 7 .- Within a few tion is expected.

fore midnight, having asked four hours off the British warships awaiting him from his household. at the three mile limit. At 7 o'clock Ambassador.

Rear Admiral Helm on the battleship which they say: Alabama and Collector of the Port Hamhim in one of the most daring sea raids we can influence the duty and privi- give up the fight and plead for peace.

night by United States marines. It is said that attempts have already been made to destroy the vessel and that before the marines were sent to guard her a fire was discovered in one of her God."

In Eitel is still closely guarded to by abstaining from all alcosolic drink during the continuance of the war. Some definite act on the part of us all is due to our brave men, the nation and her a fire was discovered in one of her God."

In Marion's sent-discipline and sent-sacrince from annihilation.

Germany, left alone to fight the alform Geneva recently that the Trencontinue, it is said, to carry on a semblance of resistance so that if compart of the Italian peninsula, was to eablist.

But the order to intern came suddenly. His Own Digging with a wave of his hand. He told them that there was no chance to escape the fleet of enemies' ships off the Virginia heach. The long looked for assistance had not arrived looked for them with a wave of his hand. He told Virginia heach. The long looked for assistance had not arrived in time to comply with the laws of the United States and he would not heedlessly sacrifice their lives by attempting to reach the open sea with no ship to help him cope with the ships of the enemy.

The crew gathered about the ship in little groups and discussed the situation. They bared their heads when the lower as the laws of the same of the ship in little groups and discussed the situation.

retary of the Treasury Peters announced is jealous of civillan aid and is relying that the German cruiser Prinz Eitel too much upon the military administra-Friedrich, which will intern at Newport tion. News Va will remain in the custody

neutrality board within which the Eliel Germany has solved such problems Friedrich should leave the territorial and how Rhenish Westphalia is a vast waters of the United States unless sh was to be interned expired at midnight to-night. At \$ o'clock Secretary Peters that Germany is prepared for a war received a report from Collector of Customs Hamilton at Norfolk transmitting a communication from Capt. Thierichsen of the German ship stating his in-

tention to intern ance from the other warships of

This disclosure recalled a report pubras elected for two terms. Cleary, ted, was his sponsor. Basley adfrankly he did not know anything keeping accounts, but Cleary, he told him not to worry about that would take care of the reports.

Brought against John S. Klinhey, 18 years old, of Milwaukee, Wis. Mrs. McNab said she first met Mr. Klinney in May, 1912, and five weeks later he signed a contract agreeing to marry her.

The contract sued on, as set out in the order for the refusal of clearance the order for the refusal of clearance the order for the refusal of the order for the refusal of the order for the papers to all outward bound merchant ships of the Allies. Here is the communication of Capt.

Thierichsen to the Collector of Customs: Sin: I inform you I intend to intern H. M. S. Prinz Eitel Friedrich The relief I expected to appear did not arrive in time, so the number and force of the enemy cruisers watching the entrance of the bay makes open sea with any hope for success. and ship to this fruitless and cer-tain destruction. Being obliged for the courtesies shown by all United States authorities, I am expecting your orders. I have sent the same information to Rear Admiral Helm,

S. S. Alabama. It is customary to parole officers of interned ship. They will be at liberty to proceed whither they please under promise not to engage in the war again It is not the custom to parole members of the crew of an inbe given all the privileges possible consistent with the responsibility of the United States for their taking no part

The Sydney Leaves Rio de Janeiro. Rio de Janeiro, April 7.—The Australian cruiser Sydney sailed from this port yesterday after a stop of less than twenty-four hours. The Sydney destroyed the German cruiser Emden in the Indian Ocean last November. A week ago she stopped at Montevideo.

GREAT BEAR SPRING WATER.

Prohibitionists

England on the Drink Problem.

Special Cable Despatch to THE STN LONDON, April 7 .- No announcement was made following the discussion by the Cabinet this afternoon of the drink question. It was learned that a decision has not yet been reached and that the Cabinet will take up the question again

bles on April 14. It is believed that the Ministers who MEN IN FINAL DASH favor total prohibition have abandoned the project and the adoption of uniform and more rigorous measures of restric-

before the House of Commons reassem-

The Daily News says every member grace. He expected aid in the shape of of the Cabinet has followed the lead of sented to her ally making a separate intervention by Italy on the side of German battleship or cruiser to draw King George and has banned alcohol The Archbishops of Canterbury and

in history, in which the Eitel sent eleven lege of bearing a voluntary part in the with the object of saving the ships to the bottom.

The Eitel is still closely guarded to-nation's self-discipline and self-sacrifice from annihilation.

Chermany left along to debt.

her a fire was discovered in one of her cabins.

"I have decided not to deliver my men and ship to fruitless and certain Lloyd George to-day. Among those dit has not arrived in time. There is nothing left for us to do but to remain here until the close of the war," was the message read out by the captain.

The Eitel was all ready to sail. She has a full sumply of provisions and her.

The petition was presented to Chancellor bition was presented to Chancellor bition was presented to Chancellor bition was presented to Chancellor be saved. Such an eventuality, although apparently improbable, is not regarded here as by any means impossible.

While nothing is admitted in official quarters regarding a settlement of the employers of labor.

The petition was accompanied by an future of the countries bordering on the

Gossip regarding the drink which King George has adopted inclines to en-throne barley water flavored with lemon on a pinnacle as lofty as that occupied by Secretary Bryan's grape julce. The Magistrates of Epsom have de-creed a severe restriction of the sale of ligours during the Ensom races. The

SCORES BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

ds. This included the sums pended.

The cavein of an old well which he was visor asked Felter what he the stubs from the check-tied that his wife had burned them. If the stubs from the check-tied that his wife had burned them. If the stubs from the check-tied that his wife had burned them. If the stubs from the check-tied that his wife had burned them.

The came as a sudden workmen might be said with far more justice about the extraordinary failure of the Government to handle the supply and the organization of women. An appeal was issued asking for the condition of the work working in the well, which he was adequately at the outset to handle the supply of the war. There was no proper organization then, the Times says, and it the substant to the bottom of the Beity Mad announces in a despatch that a new Russian drive workmen might be said with far more justice about the committee into six commissions to deal with the following substance stervies, social and sanitary assistance and the organization of women. An appeal was issued asking for the co-different taken from eleven merchant town of Polena into Russian hands.

She would not attempt to make a dash to the eventual fate of the committee into six commissions to deal with the following splus to the cavein of an old well which he was about the said with far more justices, social and sanitary assistance of the Government to handle the supply and the cavein of an old well which he was about the said with far more to the deal with the following substance should be deepening at Lenox road and East Fort the substances, public of the Government to handle the supply and the cavein of a mirror of the Beity More and the cavein of a plan to workmen might be said with far more of the Beity More and the cavein of a mirror of the Government to handle the supply and the cavein of a mirror of the Beity More and the cavein of a mirror of the Beity More and the cavein of a mirror of the Beity More and the cavein of the cav

ing its chief cause for complaint the WASHINGTON, April 7.—Assistant Sec- fact, as it alleges, that the Government

News. Va., will remain in the custody of the United States until the end of the war. Her engines will be put out of commission and her guns will be removed.

It declares that the end that is immediate and imperative, and that is immediate and immediate period fixed by the Government the Frankfurter Zettung, showing how

Crazed, He Locks Up The German captain disclosed for the first time that he had expected assist-

Husband. Unbalanced by Worry, Makes Prisoners of Wife and Four Children.

covered yesterday by a Sun reporter in the top floor of the three story flat at 5811 Third avenue, Brooklyn, near Fifty-eighth street. Henry Forsberg. the husband, through ill health lost his job three weeks ago on the subway. His sickness and poverty unbalanced the Forsberg locked his family and him-

self in their rooms. They were shut off from supplies and neighborly assist ance. Mrs. Forsberg, managed to reach a rear window yesterday and call to a neighbor, who valled the police of the Fourth avenue station. The latter broke into the room and removed Forsberg to the Kings County Hospital for observation.

There is no help in sight from relatives. The oldest child is 7 years. The sole capital last evening was half a loaf of bread and 75 cents.

40,000 Insurgents Are Officered by Germans and Turks.

TO SEEK PEACE; BERLIN AGREES

Troops to Ally's Aid. Is Report.

SERVIA TO RECEIVE DURAZZO OR AVLONA

pecial Cable Despatch to THE SUN. thority that Austria is about to sue for peace and that Germany, realizing the hopelessness of averting Italian inter-

lude to the end of the war. Confidential information has been rehe got a message from the German York, Cardinal Bourne and Compton ceived that the Kalser realizes his in-Rickett, president of the Free Church ability to send any more troops into Then with a smiling face he notified Council, have issued a joint appeal in Austria to resist the Russian advance

here until the close of the war," was the message read out by the captain.

The Eitel was all ready to sail. She has a full supply of provisions and her bunkers are filled with coal. Up to 6 o'clock this afternoon the Eitel appeared to be making preparations to sail. All of her boats were hauled up and she moved out in the middle of the slip that leads to the pier where she is moored. Men stood at her lines and it looked as if Capt. Thierichsen intended giving orders to "cast off" at any time.

Doyle, Sir Charles Macara, head of the Macara, head of the Shancara, head of the many other big dannerman mills, and many other big quarters regarding a settlement of the future of the countries bordering on the Adriatic, there is a persistent report that Italy and Servia, with the cognizance of the Allies, have reached an agreement whereby Servia will finally gain that "window on the sea" which was her aim in the Balkan wars and which failed of realization because of the opposition of Italy and Austria. This on a pinnacle as lofty as that occupied the opposition of Italy and Austria. This report has it that Italy has stipulated that Servia must not fortify the Adriatic port—Durazzo or Avlona—which is to be conceded to her.

The Italian warships gathered at Spezia, Gaeta and La Maddalena, the Mediterranean naval stations, put to sea on Monday last and are concentrated at Taranto, near the Adriatic, and

that SEES LITTLE HOPE OF PEACE, tetreat from the Carpathians by the

Pessimistic View. Special Cable Despatch to THE SEN. despatch from Amsterdam says:

"An interview with Ambassador Ge- rapid. fer with the Kaiser. Col. House talked Germany. with Dr. von Bethmann Hollweg regarding the possibility of peace intervention, but I can state that there is no prospect for peace in the immediate only one suited to the circumstances.

sion in other European capitals.

the home of a carpenter's assistant on DR. VAN DYKE IN PEACE MOVE.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. LONDON, April 7 .- The Daily Mail's through Lupkow Pass. wife at the same time gave birth to her Rosterdam correspondent telegraphs that fourth child. The ensuing struggle with an international committee has been established at The Hague in sympathy where begin the highroads to the Hu mote the peace movement.

CROWN PRINCE HAS DAUGHTER. Stork Brings Fifth Child to Crown Princess at Berlin.

meeting of the committee.

Special Cable Despatch to Tax Sus LONDON, April 7 .- A daughter has been born to the Crown Princess Cecilie have increased so steadily of late that of Germany at Berlin. The news comes Field Marshal von Hindenburg needs from the Daily Mail's correspondent at Amsterdam. Both mother and daughter are reported to be doing well.

mored that 40,000 Moslem insurgents of the Crown Prince and Princess of Germany. The first four were boys. The centrated at Elbassan in preparation for youngest, Prince Frederick, was born on the contract of the Crown Prince and Princes of Germany. The first four were boys. The youngest, Prince Frederick, was born on the contract of the Crown Prince and Princes of Germany. The first four were boys. an attack on Durazzo and a subsequent December 19, 1911. The Crown Prince news. It is true that they only admitted an attack on Durazzo and a subsequent livasion of Servia. The insurgents are well equipped and are provided with artillers which was smuggled in from Austria. The insurgents are was married to Cecilie, a daughter of the sa slight retirement when they had response circulated here. The campaign is similar to that it is clear that they feel that the admission of the following year.

Abandon Fight SAY AUSTRIA IS Austria Cedes Trentino to Italy as Price of Her Neutrality, Paris Hears

Kaiser Unable to Send More | Aged Emperor Finally Agrees to Transfer-Territory Is | French Make Big Advance to Remain Free of Italian Troops Until After Close of Present War.

DOCUMENT SIGNED BY BOTH GOVERNMENTS PRUSSIAN GUARD IS

have been received here from trust-ROME, April 7.—The correspondent of worthy sources to the effect that Italy give a binding promise to the central THE SUN has learned on excellent au- and Austria have reached an agreethe dual monarchy, has tacitly con- and preclude all possibility of armed menaced in case of a Teutonic victory.

over the Carpathians, as he needs all of continued neutrality on the part Italian in sentiment are unfounded. "In view of all that is now happening his troops to guard his own frontiers. of Italy, the advices which have just that there has been such an influx of ilton of his intention to intern, drew up and following the unprecedented lead Austria, abandoned by Germany, can come to hand state that the dual Slavic blood that the inhabitants of his crew on deck and broke the news of the King we desire to press seri- make no effective resistance to the monarchy has consented to the cession. Italian origin are in a minority. to the men who had taken part with ously upon the minds of those whom Czar's armies and hence is ready to of the Trentino. It is added that the up and signed.

future of the countries bordering on the events may change the present situa- trality. The trip, the correspondents

that, however much the Italian people stories favored making the concessions, might desire to go to war on the side but the Hungarians opposed them and of the Allies, the basic point in the official attitude of Italy is the declaration of Dreming Salandra that Italy is the declaration of Dreming Salandra that Italy

Paris, April 7.-Private advices ests were threatened." It has been no secret that Italy would be willing to

TWO KAISERS MET.

to Make Concessions, Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN

orrespondents at Rotterdam assert that southeast of Verdun on the norther on a mission to Vienna some time ago talion in Russian Poland has been

Is to be conceded to her. Signor Tittoal, the Italian Ambassador at Paris, who has come to Rome for a consultation with the Cabinet, is, it is believed, in charge of the pegalia. AND POUR INTO HUNGARY

Drive Through Verecze Opening in Carpathians, Capture Town of Polena and Now Threaten Austro-German Communications-End Seems Near.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. has cost them 300,000 lives out of a LONDON. April 7.—The Petrograd cortotal of less than 1,000,000 men would espondent of the Daily Mail announces

children taken from eleven merchant vessels she sent to the bottom of the Atlantic Ocean.

IN CUSTODY OF U. S.

Eitel's Machinery to Be Put Out of Commission.

In the commission.

In the control of the war. There was no proper organization then, the Times says, and it of the war. There was no proper organization of all citizens.

Gen. Zupell, the Minister of War, has written to Senators Gavazzi and Santini, who asked him for information regarding the arrangements for the methods with the superior methods of spiritual consolation of the soldiers in this matter, and generally case of war, that all priests summoned to the colors in case of mobilization will be strongly affected by this move, for the lung its chief cause for complaint the be drafted into the hospital corps so corps so religious Russians now will be in a situation aid to the wounded. Applications for posts as chaplains will be noted down at the War Office. Germans and the Austrians. A general

> Teutonic armies is prophesied. Ambassador Gerard Said to Hold "Within a fortnight after the fall of Peremsyl," says the despatch, "the Austrian army sent to relieve it has been LONDON. April 7 -- A Central News driven across the main range of the Carpathians, a result unexpectedly

> ard had been telegraphed here in which "It is sound strategy when a strong the American Ambassador is represented. Power is relying on the assistance of as saying that Col. E. M. House while two weaker ones to break the weaker Berlin, conferred with prominent men, first. This is now being done. When including Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg. Austria and Turkey retire all the forces the imperial Chancellor, but did not con- of the Allies can be concentrated against

"Hitherto the Russians in the Car-Now the troops can move "Col. House gained the same impres-ton in other European capitals." bodies on an unbroken front. The cap-ture of Rostok Pass gives the Russians "I am not aware either officially or the only road across the mountains A case of abject destitution was dis- personally of peace talk of other kinds." between Lupkow and Uzok passes. former has been held by the Russians since March 23, and the latter is being DR. VAN DYKE IN PEACE MOVE.

Minister Will Address New Committee at The Hague.

Since Marca and the general advance. The final act of the preliminary drama was the occupation at the beginning of the week of the railway station at Cisna, which is the terminus station at Cisna, which is the terminus of the line from Peremysl running

"Aiready Hungarian villages on the thern slopes of the Carpathians are Russian hands, including Polena, with the Dutch and-war council. Every garian plains. The Russians are now nationality is represented and all the pouring large forces through the pass, members have undertaken to try to pro- which will compel the Austrians and Germans on either side to fall back for Henry van Dyke, American Minister fear of finding their communications to the Netherlands, will address the first sistance to the Russian advance should become miraculously effective the posi-tion of Hungary will become in a very short time the urgent preoccupation of the German General Staff.

"Austria is begging Germany to add to the six army corps it has already sent. But it is difficult to see whence Germany can spare further ald to Austria. The numbers of Russian soldiers every man he has left to resist their pressure. It is more likely that he will SUBMARINE WAR ON GERMANY. endeavor to help save Hungary from in AVLONA, via Rome, April 7.—It is ru-lored that 10,000 Moslem insurgents.

This makes the fifth child born to where else in Poland. "It is significant that the official Aus-

be dangerous if it came as a sudden

of Beskid Mountains.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN. line little more than 100 miles in length two days. East and south of Etain there are steadily descending the slopes on the the General Staff the first stubborn re-sistance seems to be over. The state-miles of the German frontier.

ment follows: In the Carpathians, despite the counter attacks of the enemy, who has obtained strong reenforcements both of Germans and Austrians, our iffensive continues.

Between the Toplya River and the region in the direction of Uzok Pass all of the summits of the principal chain of the Beskid Mountains, west of the village of Ustizzki Gornyle, are in our hands. Our troops are capturing in succession the southern spurs. On April 5 we took 2.900 prisoners, three field guns and several machine guns. The following additional statement

There have been no German tacks in the region of Kosciowa and Rosanka since March 27. The operations with a view to breaking our front in this region were begun by the Germans on February 1. eight weeks they have vainly tempted to take our positions by as-sault. German regiments operating sault. German regiments operating there have in consequence of their enormous losses, due to our resist-

The abandonment of the German attacks is a recognition on their part of the useless enormous sacifices they have made

VIENNA REPORTS GAINS. Capture of 900 Prisoners and Much War Material Is Reported.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUS. VIENNA, April 7 .- The Austrian forces ern sector of the Carpathian battlement of the General Staff made public On the Carpathian front the

fighting continues.

We captured 900 additional prisoners on a height near the Laborez and also two field guns. 5,000 rifles and a quantity of war

Russia Launches Campaign in the Baltic, Copenhagen Hears.

COPENHAGEN, April 7.—Russia has started a submarine war against Germany in the Baltic Sea, according to a report circulated here.

GERMAN WEDGE IN FRANCE BENT **BY ONSLAUGHTS**

PRICE TWO CENTS.

in Drive Against the St. Mihiel Salient.

SENT TO THE VOSGES

Kaiser's Best Troops Reenforce Army Attacking

BELGIANS DRIVE OUT CAPTORS OF VILLAGE

Dislodged Invaders Who Occupied Village on Left Bank of Yser.

The French drive to sever the St Mihiel wedge has continued with un LONDON, April 7 .- Some of the English important gains in this offensive

> town on the Yser recently captured from the Belgians.

about to sue for a separate peace with Germany's consent and also that Italy and Servia have reached an agree-

The Russians have taken the Va recze Pass, through which they are pouring troops down the southern slopes of the Carpathians, according to Petrograd despatches. The town of Polena, an important highway cen tre on the southern slope, has bee

FRENCH MAKE GAINS IN ST. MIHIEL BATTLE

occupied by the Russians

Bend Back Northern Line of Ger man Sallent.

Special Cable Despatch to THE SEN Russians Capture Southern Spars Pages, April 7 -The German lin forming the northern side of the 8 Mihiel salient has been bent back ap PETROGRAD, April 7.—The enormous preciably by the vigorous pressure exussian forces concentrated on a battle erted by picked French troops in the lasouthern side of the principal range of the Carpathians. According to the tone which the French have captured trenches

> The official communiqué issued to night noted that the Kaiser has sen regiments of the Prussian Guard, the German corps d'elite, to reenforce hi troops who were driven from Hartmanns weiler Kopf after several weeks fightin and are now making an effort to rega that height, which occupies a dominating position at the gateway of Alsace According to the official reports the

> battle in the Verdun region is assuming

tremendous proportions and the strug

gle there is continuing without ceses tion day and night. The official communiqué issued te night is as follows: The weather continues to be very bad. There has, however, been great activity between the Meuse and the Moselle, where we have maintained all the ground gained and realized

fresh progress. Near Pareld (each of Verdun) we have taken two lines of trenches.

At Les Eparges we made during the night of Tuesday to Wednesday an important advance. All through the day the Germans have delivered violent counter attacks, but they did not succeed in regaining any ground Their last counter attack was particularly strong, but the troops were cut to pieces by our fire. The same result was achieved in the Ailly wood. After having repulsed several counter attacks we remain masters of the positions occupied yesterday On this part of the front we made

many prisoners. day in the region of Hartmann weiler Kopf were men of the Prus the Germans after their defeat of

In addition to siving further detail In addition to giving further details of the lighting in the Vosges the after noon communique told of a Belgian success on the Yser. A German detach ment which had forced a crossing of the river and occupied the village of Dredrachten was dislodged and driven back to the right bank. The communique

A German detachment with three

machine guns succeeded in crossing to the left bank of the Yser, south

of Drei Grachten. It was attacked

yesterday and dislodged by Belgian cinity of Etain rendered us masters of hills 219 and 221, in addition to the Haut Bois and the hospital

farms.
At Les Eparges we gained ground

Strategic Peak.

SUMMARY OF THE WAR NEWS

Rome has heard that Austria is

ment by which Servia is to get Du razzo and Aviona, scaports on the